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In the Matter of Proposal for Creation of the Low Power FM (LPFM) **Broadcast Service**

FCC RM-9242

To: Federal Communications Commission

Reply-Comments of Thomas Krakat

I agree with the comments made by Americans for Radio Diversity about RM-9242. One watt is not enough for community radio stations. Radio station owners should be required to live near their stations. There should be a limit to the number of stations any one person can own. Radio stations should be required to provide local content. The FCC should grant amnesty to currently unlicensed community broadcasters out of respect for their important First Amendment free speech activism. I am tired of corporate monopolies and insist that you fully adopt RM-9242.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Thomas W. Krakat, do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing "Reply-Comments on RM-9242" was sent via first-class mail this 10th of July, 1998 to the following parties:

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